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Re: U.S. Patent No.: 7,046,604 B2  
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Inventor: Takaharu Shigeta et al.  
Our Docket: 36429

Sir:

A Certificate of Correction under 35 U.S.C. 255 is hereby requested to correct errors in the above-identified patent. Enclosed herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction (Form No. PTO-1050) for consideration.

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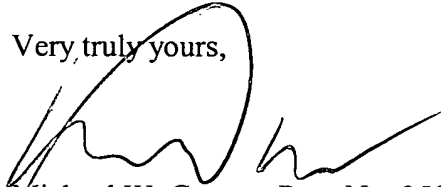
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 5:

Line 7, please delete "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 30, please delete "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 38, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Column 7:

Line 13, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Column 8:

Line 36, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Column 9:

Line 3, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 5, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 7, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 40, please delete "405", and insert therefor --S405--.

Line 47, please delete "406", and insert therefor --S406--.

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Column 8 (continued):

Line 47, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 50, please delete "407", and insert therefor --S407--.

Line 56, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Column 10:

Line 1, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 43, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Column 11:

Line 17, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 30, please delete the second occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 61, please delete "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 65, please delete the first occurrence of "the", and insert therefor --The--.

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Line 19, please delete "the", and insert therefor --The--.

Line 48, please delete "the", and insert therefor --The--.

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